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In re U.S. Patent Application of

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**For: OPTICAL DISC DRIVE APPARATUS WITH AN
INDIRECT SEMICONDUCTOR LASER CONTAINING
AN ASYMMETRIC QUANTUM WELL STRUCTURE
(AS AMENDED)**

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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed on December 28, 2006, the period of response to which is set to expire on June 28, 2007, with the payment for an extension of time of three months. Please amend the above-referenced application as follows: